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In Re: Utility Patent Application Letter of Transmittal

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is the utility patent application of William R. Camerer III, Nicholi L. Bajjalieh, Thomas R. Boyd, and James A. Breining II for the invention entitled *Corn Plant Evaluation*. The following papers are enclosed:

- (1) Fee Transmittal Sheet;
- (2) Application Data Sheet;
- (3) Utility Patent Specification;
- (4) Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (5) Information Disclosure Statement and copy of reference;
- (6) Nonpublication Request;
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Respectfully submitted,

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I, Willard Jones, president of Doebler's Hybrids, Inc., the assignee of the above-identified application, hereby request that the application not be published under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b). I certify that the invention disclosed in the application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Dated this 16 day of August, 2001.

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